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TO AMEMBASSY LIBREVILLE PRIORITY

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SUBJECT: SANTA CLARA PORT--SOROS/RAWIRI LETTER

1. IN COMPLIANCE REQUEST AMBASSADOR MCKESSON, COMMERCE
PHONED SOROS ASSOCIATES RE RAWIRI DESIRE HAVE SA INVITE
GOG SEND DELEGATION TO MEET WITH SA IN NEW YORK CITY AS
MEANS INTRODUCE SETIMEG INTO PORT PROJECT. SA SENDING
LETTER IN FRENCH, BUT, SINCE TIME OF ESSENCE, EMBASSY
REQUEST TRANSLATE SUMMARY, WHICH FOLLOWS, AND DELIVER
MINISTER RAWIRI BEFORE HE DEPARTS FOR KUWAIT.

2. BEGIN SUMMARY TEXT: MR. MINISTER: I WOULD LIKE TO
COME TO LIBREVILLE AFTER YOU RETURN FROM YOUR TRIP TO
MEET WITH YOU AND PRESIDENT BONGO AND OTHER GABONESE
OFFICIALS ABOUT POSSIBILITIES FOR SIGNING AGREEMENT FOR
DESIGN AND ENGINEERING SANTA CLARA MINERAL PORT. IN
MEANWHILE, IF THERE ARE ANY MATTERS YOU OR OTHER GABONESE
OFFICIALS WOULD LIKE TO DISCUSS, I SHOULD BE DELIGHTED
AND HONORED TO RECEIVE A GABONESE DELEGATION IN NEW
YORK CITY. SHOULD SUCH A DELEGATION COME TO THE
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UNITED STATES, I WOULD BE VERY PLEASED TO SHOW ITS

MEMBERS THE WORLD'S HIGHEST CAPACITY ORE UNLOADING PORT,

WHICH SOROS ASSOCIATES DESIGNED FOR UNITED STATES STEEL CORPORATION. I GREATLY ENJOYED MEETING WITH YOU DURING YOUR RECENT VISIT TO THE UNITED STATES AND LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU SOON AGAIN. SIGNED PAUL SOROS, PRESIDENT, SOROS ASSOCIATES. END SUMMARY TEXT.

3. FYI: SOROS INVITATION DOES NOT, REPEAT NOT, ENTAIL ANY COMMITMENT, EXPLICIT OR IMPLICIT, TO PAY GABONESE DELEGATION EXPENSES. END FYI
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